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IMPORTANCE OF HEALTH INSPECTION IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS

It is of prime importance that School Trustees should avail themselves of the services of the Public Health Nurses, who, next week, shall be stationed in different centres in the province to conduct child welfare stations and to inspect the children attending school. Although for years it has been optional with the Trustees in rural school districts to have medical inspection of the children attending school, but a small percentage of the schools have ever been so inspected. To render this service more general and at the same time to reduce the expense to School Districts Registered nurses, by means of a special course of instruction given at the Provincial University, are being qualified to do this work. In the various cities, towns and villages throughout Canada where there is inspection of schools by doctors and nurses, about forty per cent of the children are found to have ailments that are prejudicial to health. Although the Legislature did not make such inspection compulsory in rural schools, it is inconceivable that any board within striking distance of where a Nurse-Inspector is located would do aught else except send a request at once that the school be inspected. The Department of Health is bearing about one-half of the whole expense.

It trains the nurses, pays their salaries, and living expenses, and the school district is asked to pay only a maximum of \$20.00, with a minimum of \$10.00 for such inspection of all children attending any rural school. There is heavy demand from various parts of the Province for such inspection. There are only twelve such specially trained nurses in the Province. Ten will be placed at particular centres and two will probably be given each a roving commission.

The necessity of such inspection may be illustrated by the average result of such inspection in 1910 of the schools of ten leading cities in the United States, where on an average of 1000 children inspected it was found that there were defects and ailments actually injurious to health at the time of inspection in the following number of children, as to teeth 415, throat 201, eyes 153, nose 108, glands 118, ears 30. Professor Osler, recently address, the Academy of Medicine in London, England, said "If I were asked to say whether more physical deterioration was produced by alcohol or by defective teeth, I should say by defective teeth."

If school trustees are in any doubt as to the beneficial result of the inspection of their school by a nurse-inspector, they are advised to write the Secretary-Treasurer of any school thus far inspected. There were only four such nurses heretofore qualified. They inspected a number of schools last year and these, among others, Coaldale Consolidated, Crystal Lake, Beaver, Pioneer, etc., near Lethbridge; Scottfield Consolidated, Rainbow, Keystone, and others near Youngstown; Killam, Poplar Park, Asquith, etc., at or near Killam; Vermilion Centre, New Mannville, Bowling Green, etc., at or near Vermilion.

Several towns and villages are now co-operating with the trustees of the surrounding districts so that a nurse may be stationed to conduct child welfare work and to inspect the schools and give health talks in every district. The Minister of Health has found that while the fee of from \$10.00 to \$20.00 according to attendance is considered very

EDMONTON FAIR PRIZE LISTS ARE BEING DISTRIBUTED

A copy of the prize list for the Edmonton Exhibition, July 7-12, is to hand, and contains a very attractive list of prizes in all departments, approximately \$45,000 is offered in all departments, by far the larger proportion of this money being in the horses, cattle, sheep and swine classes. The poultry prize list is also very liberal. The classes for agriculture and horticulture, dairy products, domestic manufactures, arts and crafts, needle work and school children's work are practically on a pre-war basis, and the returned soldier's department embraces all work taken up in the vocational training branches. The entries close on June 24th, Manager Stark asks those who have not yet received copies of this book to write or same.

reasonable as to rural school districts, the straight maximum charge of \$20.00 per room in the towns and villages is considered excessive and the Minister agrees that it is excessive. He has therefore written all parties interested and stated that for their effort in co-ordinating the work that to any town or village that secures co-operation of at least ten rural school districts, that is inspection and furnishing transportation for the nurse, he will allow such town or village a deduction and the amount such town or village will be required to pay will be \$20.00 for the first room and only \$10.00 for each other room. Thus in a five-room village or town school the payment will be \$60.00 (not \$100.) The Minister holds that he can observe the Statute by giving the Trustees a receipt for the remaining \$40.00 for services rendered the Department and similarly in all cases, no matter what is the number of rooms. It should be clearly understood, however, that no nurse will be placed at any centre to do child welfare work, except in connection with school inspection. It is hoped that the eight graduating nurses will commence work next Monday.

The average parent in the Province is alive to the necessity of thorough inspection of all school children, lest one of his children may be a desk-mate to a child afflicted with a communicable or other disease. In some school districts it has been found that there are forty rate-payers and only a few children attending school, therefore the minimum fee of \$10.00 applies and therefore the cost to each rate-payer is but 25 cents. It seems quite clear that as to any trustee who does not hest himself and immediately arrange to have his school inspected, his service as a trustee will not long be required in any district. Requests have come from several districts to recall trustees who are not active in taking steps to secure school inspection.

The Public School-Inspectors are very enthusiastic over this work and are willing to give all the assistance they possibly can to assist in the necessary organization or in any other way.

U. F. A.

The Irma U.F.A. was represented at the Wainwright convention by Messrs. Clark, Hill, Fenton, Knudson, Yarr, Askin, Higginson and Peterson. The U.F.A. by Mesdames Hill, Clark and Hardy.

MONSTER PICNIC ON JULY 18th FOR RETURNED MEN

Plans are being completed for a big celebration in Irma in honor of our boys who have returned from the great war. The members of the Repatriation committee met with the delegates from the different fraternal and agricultural societies Tuesday evening June 12th, and decided to hold a monster Sports Day and picnic on July 18th in honor of our gallant boys who sacrificed so much in order that our country would be free from the enemy who was at our door. This will not only be a chance to welcome home all those who have returned to the district but will give the new comers a chance to meet their old comrades. Another meeting will be held on June 26th.

Wedding Bells.

HILL-LOVE

A quiet wedding was performed at the residence of the bride's parents at 10 o'clock, Wednesday morning, June 11th, when the wedding took place of Fred M. Hill and Miss Irene Love. The bride was dressed in her travelling suit and Miss Grace Love acted as flower girl.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. C.G. Hockin and the bride was given away by her father Mr. H.W. Love. Mrs. C.G. Hockin played the wedding march. The groom's present to the bride was a beautiful gold wrist watch. The ceremony was witnessed by about fifteen relatives of the bride and groom. A cable congratulating the happy couple was received by the bride from her brother Bombardier J.R. Love from Edinburgh just before the ceremony was performed. After the wedding breakfast, Mr. and Mrs. Hill left for a trip to Banff by motor. They expect to return to Irma in about ten days.

CARTER - FENTON

At Biggar, Sask., on June 7th, Eugene William Carter and May Cathryn Fenton of Irma, Alta., were quietly married by the Rev. A.B.C. Douthwaite. The happy couple returned to Irma Monday evening where they were welcomed by a host of friends who had gathered at the station with a good supply of rice.

PARSONS - COULTMAN

At the residence of the bride's parents at Orbindale, Wednesday, June 12th, Mr. George Parsons was united in marriage to Miss Flora Coultman, Mr. C.G. Hockin performed the ceremony. Stanton Coultman acted as best man while Miss Mildred Parsons assisted the bride. The happy couple left on the evening train for a short honeymoon.

New Manager Co-op.

J. W. Grayden, well known to most of the old timers is expected back to Irma the end of this week. He has accepted the position of manager of the Irma Co-Operative Co. Ltd., made vacant by the resignation of Mr. H. W. Love who has been manager of the local farmers company since its organization nearly seven years ago.

Mr. Love intends devoting all his time to his real estate business, farm and other interests and felt he did not have the time to give the Co-Op business the attention it deserved. In Mr. Grayden the directors feel they have a competent man who will not only be a credit to the business but a big asset to the district. Mr. Grayden has just sold his business in Edmonton which he has been successfully conducting for the last eight years. We wish him every success in his new venture and welcome both Mr. and Mrs. Grayden to our district.

Family Celebration.

All the children and grand children of Mr. F. Peterson, met at the home of A.E. Peterson, on June 3rd, and held a re-union. Those present were A.E., J.H., W.B., Chas. and V.C. Peterson, Mrs. H. Bouck, and 19 grand children.

TAXATION OF LAND ACCORDING TO VALUE

When the rate of taxation amounting to about \$2.00 per quarter section was the total tax required to be levied on the lands in the province for provincial or municipal purposes, the fact that these taxes were levied on a flat rate of so much per acre, regardless of the value of the land, did not cause any particular complaint, as while it was not a fair basis of taxation, the amount of taxes payable on each quarter section was so small that no particular hardship was caused, and the fact that a man owning a quarter section worth about \$1000 paid as large a tax as a man owning a quarter worth \$4000 was not given much consideration. As the years went on it was necessary to raise the rate of taxation, to levy additional taxes. With increased taxation, it became very evident that the levying of taxes on an acreage basis was not fair. It is admitted that it is impossible to levy taxes on an absolutely fair basis, but the increasing of the amount of taxes payable on a quarter section made it clear that a system of taxation whereby a quarter section worth only about \$1000 was taxed as high as one worth \$4000 was not just. Under such a system of taxation, taxes are not levied in accordance with the ability to pay. At a rate of say 10¢ per acre, a man with a quarter section worth \$1000 pays \$16.00 taxes, so does the man with the quarter section worth \$4000. That is, a man with the greater ability to pay, pays only the same amount of taxes as his poorer neighbor who has land worth only one quarter as much. That is for the purposes of taxation the value of the property owned by the man with the poorer land is rated much higher than its real worth, while in the case of the man with the more valuable land, his property is rated at much less than it is worth.

In considering the merits of any system of taxation, the matter must be approached from the standpoint that taxes should be paid according to the ability to pay, and looking at it in this way, there does not appear to be any sound argument against the system of levying taxes according to value, rather than on an acreage basis. This principle having been recognized in connection with taxes levied directly or indirectly for the benefit of the Province at large, the different Acts through which the Province derives revenue from taxes on lands were amended at the last session of the Legislature by legislation introduced by the Minister of Municipal Affairs, so that beginning with the year 1920, all taxes levied by the Province, either directly or indirectly, will be levied according to the value of the land, and not according to the area. That is all taxes levied on lands outside of organized school districts under the Educational Tax Act; taxes levied on all lands in the Province under the Supplementary Revenue Act; taxes levied on lands outside of organized Municipal districts under the Improvement District Act, and taxes levied on lands subject to taxation under the Wild Lands Tax Act, will be levied according to the value of the land taxes. The only exception will be the taxation of lands leased from the Dominion Government, and in these cases the taxes will still be levied on an acreage, but as the rate is low it

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In preparation for this work, a lands outside of organized Municipalities are now being valued under the direction of the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Municipal Districts which are not already levying their taxes to land values, will be required to value all their lands for the purpose of taxation under the Supplementary Revenue Act next year.

The basis of taxation is the "cash value" of the land without taking into account any improvements made upon the land by the expenditure of capital or labor. In working out this cash value there are only three matters which are required to be taken into consideration, namely:

1. Nature of the soil.
2. Nature of the surface; that is, whether it is broken by ravines, coulees or timber and so on.
3. Distance of the land from a shipping.

As the comparative values will only change under exceptional circumstances, as for example, where a new railroad passes thru the locality, and as this is the third and last consideration, it will be noted that once a value is fixed, there will not be very much change for some years. This being the case, provision has been made for a valuation by Municipal districts only once in every five years, thus reducing the work and expense in connection with the levying of taxes. The first valuation under this scheme will be the valuation in the year 1920, the next in the year 1925, and so on. Provision has of course been made for the valuation in any year of land which became liable to taxation during that year, so that the fact that the general valuation is only made every five years, will not arrive in time on account of the freight and express handlers being out on strike. However they arrived this week and we hope to be able to give the same service, as we have done in the past.

than that in which the general assessment is required to be made. Tax notices will of course be issued each year.

While a change from an acreage system of taxation to one according to value will cause extra work, matters will soon adjust themselves and there should be no difficulty in administering a system of taxation along these lines. The fairness of taxation according to value will, if the matter is given due consideration, appeal to all fair minded people as a better system of taxation than the acreage system which makes the owner of poor land, generally a poor man, pay the same amount of taxes as the owner of good land, who is generally a wealthier man and better able to pay.

One of the main objections to taxation of land according to value has arisen from the fact that many land owners are under the belief that if taxes are levied according to value, the owner of the land will have to pay taxes on the value of the land together with the value of the improvements placed upon it by hard labor and by expenditure of money. Such, however, is not the case. All provisions in the laws of the Province in regard to taxation of farm lands, requires the valuation of these lands for taxation purposes to be made on a raw land basis and there is no tax on the increased value of lands because of the improving of these lands by the expenditure of labor or money. That is, a man who improves his farm by cultivation, building of fences

Notice To Subscribers.

We were unable to publish the Irma Times last week owing to the fact that our ready-prints did not arrive in time on account of the freight and express handlers being out on strike. However they arrived this week and we hope to be able to give the same service, as we have done in the past.

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EDITORIAL

Home Life on the Farm

In solving the problem, now almost universally recognized, of checking the tendency of boys and girls to move to the cities and keeping them on the land, the farm home must play by far the most important part. Even in the cities the right kind of a home is the greatest restraining force. Keeping young people from drifting to far away places and pastures new, it is the most powerful of all influences, and nowhere will the influence of a good and comfortable home, and the right kind of home surroundings, be found more potent than on the farm.

In a new country like Western Canada, which is just emerging from the crudeness of the pioneer stage, it is inevitable and altogether natural that in the earlier years of its development the farm home should be small and lacking in those many little comforts and attractive features which appeal so strongly to youth. It was necessary that the land should first be broken, essential farm equipment secured, a water supply made available, some horses and livestock gathered together, and the necessary buildings provided for their care. Usually, therefore, the first farm home was little more than a shack in which to eat and sleep. It possessed few comforts and was the reverse of attractive, cold, and isolated in many instances, there were few neighbors, with a resultant great loneliness. It is small wonder that it failed so frequently to hold the boys and girls when they reached their later teens and approach young manhood and womanhood.

Too frequently, perhaps, even after the farm had reached a certain stage of development, and the farmer was beginning to make headway in a material sense, he had become so absorbed in his farm operations that all his available money and credit was utilized in buying more machinery, more livestock, more land, and erecting larger and better farm buildings, while the home and its equipment was overlooked and neglected. All too frequently the complaint was heard from the wife and mother and the growing children that father seemed to think only of the farm itself and the things required by him to extend and improve the farm operation. It was not due to selfishness so much on his part as to the farmer's absorption and keenness in his farm.

Nevertheless, such a policy is a mistaken one from the farmer's own standpoint. The farmer's family is, after all, his best asset, and it does not redound to his credit to have splendid equipment in the way of farm machinery, great barns, well fenced land, and all labor-saving devices in his own work, while his family lives in a shack or inadequate cottage which is dwarfed into insignificance

and-shamed by these larger possessions. The farm home should be as speedy as possible the most attractive feature of the farm. The wife and mother should be supplied with those little labor-saving devices in the home which so materially assist to convert housework from mere drudgery into pleasure. She will thereby be enabled to give greater attention to her children, while the girls will grow up without that repugnance for farm life which so many farm-bred girls now feel.

A telephone should be installed and thus largely eliminate that feeling of isolation, and bring the whole family circle into closer touch with friends and neighbors. A few good books, pictures, magazines, and the district newspaper will help to brighten the farm home, while, if it is possible, a piano or musical record machine will provide the boys and girls with those pleasures at home which lead them to look longingly towards the cities in order to enjoy.

In a word, the farmer should not overlook every opportunity to make farm life attractive to his boys and girls in order to inspire and encourage them to remain on the land and follow what is admittedly the most independent life anyone can lead in these times. And in his effort to make the farm, and farm life, attractive, he will soon discover by a little observation that he has the greatest of all inducements in a happy, comfortable, attractive home. A little money and time spent on flower seeds, trees and shrubs and their care will pay dividends just as truly as that spent on seed wheat.

Make the farm home attractive and the boys and girls will be loath to leave it. Leave it unattractive and lacking in comfort and those things which give pleasure and they will be anxious to get away from it and will take the first available opportunity of doing so.

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Stamps Higher in China

Washington, District of Columbia.—Owing to the fluctuation in the rate of exchange between the United States and China, the Post Office department has instructed its post offices at Shanghai and other Chinese cities to make a flat charge of two to one for postage stamps when sold for Chinese money. That is, a one-cent stamp costs two cents in the Chinese equivalent. When sold for gold, the charge is the same as in the United States.

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Treasure Returned

To Belgium

Was Kept for Safety in the Bank of England

The Belgian treasure, consisting of state documents, savings bank securities, bullion, gold and silver, which have throughout the war been in the safe keeping of the Bank of England, have now been returned to Belgium. They represented the savings of the Belgian nation in the peace era, amounting to many millions. The Cockrell Line, Mark Lane, London, were entrusted with the task. Officials of the National Bank of Belgium had been in London for some weeks preparing for the shipments.

Condition of French Troops at Odessa

Naval Forces Are as Emaciated as the Military

Paris, France.—A terrible indictment is brought against those responsible for the conduct of operations in the Near East, in so far as the French army is concerned, by Gustave de Kerguezec, deputy, and naval reporter charged with the mission to inquire into the position of the eastern military and naval forces by the budget, army and marine commissions.

As a result of observation, he declares the Armee d'Orient no longer exists, and in an article which the Matin publishes he describes the condition in which he found the French troops at Odessa and in the camps of Turanto, Itea and Salonika. Two regiments, he says, would have sufficed to save the Crimea and to keep control of the Black Sea.

He adds that the naval forces are as emaciated as the military and that crews being lacking, demobilization orders could not be obeyed owing to the fact that, whatever the government may imagine, ships cannot be manned without men.

The result of this lack of organization, concludes the naval reporter, is that France has lost in the East the benefits of the victory she had obtained and the prestige, which the magnificent march of the eastern army against the Bulgarians and Turks and Austro-Hungarians, and which presaged the German defeat, had earned for her name. Mr. Kerguezec speaks of the Rumanian disappointment at the French failure and the cry of a starving population to France for bread.

Boon to West

New Hudson Bay Route Would Reduce Haul

Ottawa.—E. E. Bowden, chief engineer of the Department of Railways and Canals, who has had experience of the Hudson Bay and believes in the feasibility of the route, gave evidence before the special committee of the senate, which is making a general inquiry into the possibilities of that region. He said it was possible that the whole of November might be added to the navigation season by establishing aid to navigation. Wireless and aircraft would greatly assist vessels in keeping clear of ice floes.

Liners, however, were almost precluded from using the route having regard to ice, and from the point of view of the shippers at Port Nelson, he would only recommend that vessels of 7,500 tons carrying capacity should be placed on the route.

Larger vessels could not be accommodated in the harbor.

He was unable to say definitely whether the route on grain across the Atlantic would be lowered by the Hudson Bay route, as the estimates were too problematical, and also it would be utterly impossible to get 100 or 150 vessels on the route until the government had thoroughly demonstrated its feasibility. Private owners would not put on their vessels before. He pointed out the value of the short haul to Hudson Bay by rail from the western provinces as far as animals were concerned. The great loss of weight by rail would be avoided, and it had been found that the loss on vessels in the weight of animals was negligible.

Reign of Terror

In Budapest City

Girls Accused of Making Tri-Color Rosettes Executed

Vienna.—Many persons accused of being counter revolutionists are being executed in Budapest by the Hungarian communists, according to dispatches here. The victims usually are shot in front of the Hungarian parliament house in the day time or in the high school yard in the Markstrasse at night.

Several girls who were accused of making tri-color rosettes for the counter-revolutionists, were executed. The presiding judge of the revolutionary tribunal, which orders the executions, it is said, is a former locksmith, aged 22 years.

Many bodies of men, women and girls of the better classes have been found on the shores of islands in the Danube below the city. It is reported that they were arrested in the residential quarter of Budapest and were thrown into the Danube by Guards who were taking them to prisons in Budapest.

French colonial troops, the report said, are expected to move on the city from the south. White guards and counter revolutionists are preparing to cross the river Theiss, where they have taken positions evacuated by the Rumanians who were withdrawn to the Bessabatin front.

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Italian Aviator Killed
Captain Palli, one of the best Italian flyers, has been killed while flying in the Mont Blanc region. Caught in a snowstorm, his aeroplane crashed near Bourg St. Maurice, Savoy. He had accomplished one hundred and forty war raids, among them the famous Vienna expedition with the D'Annunzio squadron. His aeroplane had been hit many times by enemy fire. D'Annunzio used to call him "the infallible eagle."

Germany in Favor Of Disarmament
Agrees to Disarm Ahead of All Other Powers
Berlin.—Information has been received from unimpeachable sources that the counter-proposals to be made by Germany to the peace conference will declare in favor of military disarmament, saying that Germany is ready to reduce her forces to 350,000 within two months after the conclusion of peace, and by the expiration of another year to cut the size of the army down to 200,000 men.

It will be declared that in spite of internal disorders and the necessity for defending her frontiers, Germany thus agrees to disarm ahead of all other powers. It is pointed out that this gives adequate proof of Germany's determination to renounce all militaristic and imperialistic tendencies.

Very Quarrelsome Neighbors
Names of the parties are Corns and Toes—both were unhappy till the trouble was remedied by Putnam's Corn Extractor. Any corn goes out of business in 24 hours if "Putnam's" is applied—try it, 25c at all dealers.

Second Dead Sea

Once the Most Famous of Shell-Fish Areas

London.—A sea in which nothing may live has come into being off the southeast coast of England. It is a second Dead Sea.

Pegwell Bay is where the Dead Sea lies. It was once the most famous of the shell-fish areas. Its downfall is traced to the sinking of an oil tank steamer early in the war. The vessel was torpedoed one night, and thousands of gallons of crude oil flooded over the Downs. The odor of the oil led many to believe that a German gas attack was pending.

The oil swamped the haunts of shrimp, mussel, whelk, and caused more poison to invade the shellfish beds, the shrimps' breeding waters, and now the whole area is dead.

If any food-making shellfish lives it is contaminated, and must not be eaten, and the public are warned against gathering up shellfish from the Ramsgate rocks and shores of Pegwell Bay.

The doctor who gets out of patients is apt to lose his temper.

The good die young and the other kind when they can't help it.

W. N. U. 1266

Identifying Twins

Reports Only Differed in Initials of Their Names

One of the greatest was problem of the London Scottish Regiment was how to distinguish Ralph Brown (now dead) from his brother Lindsay. They were twins and inseparable, and so strikingly alike in every way that it was hardly possible to distinguish one from the other. Early in their military training their officers were so puzzled that an official order was sent to Ralph commanding him to grow a moustache to distinguish him from Lindsay. After passing through all the grades of non-commissioned rank, the brothers had the distinction of being promoted to commissioned rank together in their famous corps. In all their courses of training equal attainment marked them. Out of a school of 500 officers they were two of four officers specially recommended to the War Office for merit, and they were informed that their reports only differed in the initials of their names.

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Airmen Form Provincial Association

Regina, Sask.—Airmen of Saskatchewan have formed a provincial association known as the Air Services Association of Saskatchewan, to which aviators of any of the allied countries are welcomed as members. The object of the association is the promotion of the interests of aeronautics and aerial navigation in this province.

Owing to the great distances and the lack of roads and railways in the unsettled parts of the province, it is claimed that aerial navigation can play an important part, especially in the delivery of mails and light express.

The Terror of Asthma comes like a thief in the night with its dreadful throttling, robbing its victim of breath. It seems beyond the power of human aid to relieve until one trial is made of that remarkable preparation, Dr. J. D. Kollig's Asthma Remedy. Then relief comes with a rush. Life becomes worth living, and if the remedy be used persistently, the disease is put permanently to route. Take no substitute.

Tact
To possess tact it is necessary to have a fine perception, and to be sensitive; for how can we know what will pain another without having some criterion in our own feelings by which we can judge of his? Hence I maintain that our tact is always in proportion to our sensibility.—Lord Byron.

Appreciates the Compliment
"I wouldn't marry the best man living."
"I'm sorry you feel that way about me, but I appreciate the compliment."
—Detroit Free Press.

Keep Minard's Liniment in the house
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Rule of Bolshevik

Omsk.—Before their flight from Sarapul, on the Kama, southwest of Perm, the Bolsheviks committed great excesses, shooting down the wives of officers and soldiers in the army of the Omsk government. In many cases they did not spare even the children.

Miller's Worm Powders are a prompt relief from the attacks of worms in children. They are powerful in their action, and while leaving nothing to be desired as a worm expellant, have an invigorating effect upon the youthful system, remedying fever, biliousness, loss of appetite, sleeplessness, and other ailments that follow disorders caused by worms in the stomach and bowels.

Vessels Loading Relief Food

Ships Will Carry All Devastated Countries Through to Next Harvest

New York, N.Y.—In the ports of Boston, New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore alone are 44 steamers loading cargoes of food bound for Europe, under direction of the American Relief Administration, thus indicating that the American relief, particularly for the newly liberated countries, is now in its final stages. These shipments and those to follow, it is expected, will carry all of the devastated countries through to the next harvest. Belgium has been able to dispense with the relief commission since May 1, and with the new harvest the other newly-liberated countries are expected also to begin to stand alone with respect to food.



FLEET FOOT

FOR STURDY WEAR

Put the boys and girls in Fleet shoes this summer. They can have two or three pairs of Fleet for the price of one pair of leather shoes. The low price of Fleet and their sturdy wear, make them the most satisfactory and economical summer shoes you can buy for children.

The Best Shoe Stores Sell Fleet. DONKIN

There's a Reason why so many people make Grape-Nuts

the regular part of at least one meal each day. It's because of the delightful flavor, and wonderful values of Grape-Nuts as a health builder.

Cures Dizziness Prevents Headaches Insures Health

Puts Vim, Snap, Vitality and
Briskness Into Run-down
Men and Women

You who are nervous, tired and
suffer from dizziness, get back the
best of health by purifying and en-
riching the blood with Dr. Hamilton's
Pills. This wonderful medicine will
make you feel better the first day.
A real assistant to nature, full of
toning-up power — these are health-
renewing principles in Dr. Hamilton's
Pills that accomplish so much good.
Your liver will work right if toned
with Dr. Hamilton's Pills. The bowels
will move out of the system all
wastes and impurities. Your stomach
will be put in order, digestion will
be perfect, and as a result your health
is bound to be permanently improved.
To be always in good things and en-
joy your meals, to sleep well and have
lots of energy to work with, use Dr.
Hamilton's Pills regularly. No medi-
cine for general family use so good.
Sold everywhere in 25c boxes.

Serial Story

Unavoidably Omitted

We are obliged to omit the serial
story this week, but same will appear
again in an early issue.

High Praise For Canadians

Troops of Dominion Took the Lead in War's Sternest Battles

The report of the overseas military
forces of Canada tabled in the house
of commons at Ottawa last week by
Sir Edward Kemp, overseas minister
of militia, contains 533 printed pages.
It is a comprehensive history of the
activities of the Canadian forces dur-
ing the war period with definite data
as to the strength of the personnel
of the various organizations at the
time of the signing of the armistice.

"I welcome," says Sir Edward
Kemp, in a preface to the report, "this
opportunity of expressing to the forces
who have served in all theatres in
all capacities my heartfelt appreciation
of their magnificent achievement.
Wherever a stern or difficult task had
to be performed, wherever the fight
was fiercest, Canadian troops were in
the forefront, by their valor, patience,
and skill upholding and increasing a
renewal which will endure for all
time."

"Further," I would express my
thanks to those in charge of the ad-
ministration and training of our
forces, both in France and in England.
By their efficiency and wholehearted
endeavor our victories were made pos-
sible, and they conclusively proved to
the world that the citizen soldier im-
bued with the spirit of loyalty and self-
denial, could be the equal of those
who had made war a life-long study."

The succeeding pages which tell in
narrative form the story of the incep-
tion; organization and record of the
various divisions of the Canadian
force are replete with information
that makes the report practically a
history of the war. A large portion
of the volume is devoted to a descrip-
tion of the various military opera-
tions in which the Canadian forces
were engaged during the four years
of conflict with accompanying maps
and explanatory notes.

Dealing with the Canadians in the
Royal Air Force, the report says it
will no doubt be a matter of surprise
to many to hear that over 8,000 Cana-
dians have held commissions in the
air forces. An interesting table is
given showing the comparative
strength of the Imperial and Cana-
dian Railway Construction Forces on
the western front at the close of the
various years of the war. While on
December 31, 1914, imperial railway
construction troops numbered 1,476,
the situation had so changed on armis-
tice day that Canadian construction
troops numbered 14,877 were in the
field while imperial troops of the
same class numbered only 7,340.

The report also shows that on
armistice day the total strength of the
Canadian forestry corps was 31,447,
including 13 companies of prisoners
of war numbering 5,021. At the time
the armistice was signed over 70 per
cent of the total timber used by the
allied armies on the western front
was supplied by the Canadian forestry
corps.

The number of Canadian officers
attached or seconded to the imperial
troops or other forces outside the

military forces of Canada was 1,281
at the date of the armistice. Of these
824 were seconded or attached to the
Royal Air Force. Also on November
11, 1918, 384 officers were seconded
to the war office for military duties.
"It is gratifying to record," says
the report, "that since the overseas
military forces of Canada first went
into action they have been awarded
upwards of 17,000 medals, honors and
awards, including 61 Victoria Crosses,
1,182 Military Crosses, 19 Distin-
guished Conduct Medals, and 6,610
Military Medals."

"The discipline of the overseas
military forces of Canada for the
year 1918," states the report, "was
distinctly satisfactory, and this was
largely due to the efficient adminis-
tration and discipline by commanding
officers, and to the esprit de corps
which had been nourished and devel-
oped among all ranks of the Canadian
forces."

Germans Using Stolen Machinery

Belgian Engineer Says Factories Are in Full Swing

The process of extracting from
Germany the machinery she has stolen
is an arduous one.

An engineer who has just returned
from a quest in the neighborhood of
Cologne found four out of the eighty
machines removed from his works be-
tween Jan. 8, 1915, and Dec. 7, 1917.
He discovered incidentally that eight
others had been worked to death in
Germany, and knows that four more
are still in Belgium. The whereabouts
of the remaining sixty-four are un-
known to him.

This observer reports that not only
are the German factories in full
swing, but that they have been con-
siderably enlarged during the war and
show abundant signs of prosperity,
largely owing to the machinery stolen
from Belgium and France which has
been sold to them by the German Gov-
ernment for almost nothing. "But
what is particularly exasperating is
that the Germans have been keeping
their own machines for use after the
war and have been making munitions
almost entirely with stolen machines,
which, having been working night and
day with inferior oil, which alone is
available, are now mostly only fit for
the scrap heap."

Not only does one see the German
machines resting while similar Bel-
gian and French machines by their
side are at work, but stores and Ger-
man machine tool works are full of
brand new machine tools.
This state of things, coupled with
the extreme difficulty because of
German mendacity, of tracing machi-
nes or missing parts, and with the
enormous amount of red tape involv-
ed in claiming machines, makes the
Belgians, whose works are idle and
whose workmen are unemployed,
more than ever resent their not being
allowed to take German substitutes in
place of those worn out or destroyed.
The engineer suggests as the only
solution that the Germans should
themselves be obliged to produce all
missing parts which are often hidden
in obscure store houses, each factory
should be made to furnish a list show-
ing where its stolen machines came
from, and for machines not found
within three months and for machine
unit for work, and machines destroyed,
equivalent machines should be
handed over to the Belgian industries,
these to be taken from German machi-
ne tool makers and industries.

The sight of stolen raw materials
in Germany, the one thing, after ma-
chinery, which most sorely needs
at present—makes the Belgians all
most as furious as the sight of their
machines in the hand of the enemy.

German Spies at Scapa

Got to the Orkneys Disguised as Neutrals

An astonishing but true story is
published.
Very early in the war two German
spies got to the Orkneys disguised
as neutrals. There were very few
precautions on those days, and ships
were calling at Kirkwall. The spies
got aboard Germany and gave the
outstanding information to the Ger-
man chief of intelligence that there
were no defences at Scapa. They per-
sisted in their story under the closest
examination, with the result that they
were taken out and shot. The German
naval authorities being quite convinced
that their spies had been tampered
with and they were bringing them an
enemy trap. It seems that it was the
German faith in the British fleet that
helped to win the war.

Camouflaged Cloth

One of the tricks the Germans
played on traders in other parts of
the world has just been disclosed.
They bought velvet in Lancashire
and cloth in Yorkshire, took them
back to Germany and dyed them, and
resold them as their own manufac-
ture, getting a reputation for produc-
ing goods which were equal in qual-
ity to those made in England.

Shock Left Her Weak and Nervous COULD NOT SLEEP

When the system receives a shock
of any kind, the heart becomes weak-
ened, the nerves contract, the appe-
tite poor, faint and weak feelings
come over you, you can't sleep at
night, and you wonder if life is worth
living.

To all those who suffer from ner-
vous shock we would recommend Mil-
burn's Heart and Nerve Pills as the
best remedy to tone up the entire
system and strengthen the weakened
nerves.

Mrs. J. J. Bunyan, Pilot Butte,
Sask., writes: "I have used Milburn's
Heart and Nerve Pills after having
suffered from a terrible shock to my
whole system. I was so utterly weak
and nervous I could not sleep at night
and my appetite was very poor. I
could not walk across the floor with-
out trembling all over."

"I had hot flushes and fainting
spells. When I was on the second box
of your Heart and Nerve Pills, I be-
gan to feel that they were doing me
good, so I kept on until I had used
six boxes, when I felt like a different
person."

"I am never without them in the
house, and highly recommend them to
all who suffer with their heart."

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are
50c a box at all dealers, or mailed
direct at cost of price by The T. F.
Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

Machine Guns Alarm Berlin

Shooting Due to Wounded Men Insisting on Parading

Berlin. — Down town Berlin was
thrown into a state of wild excitement
by machine gun firing in the Unter
den Linden. Some persons in the
neighborhood fled for safety, but oth-
ers were due to a large group of wound-
ed men insisting on parading, despite
the order of Gustave Noske, minister
of national defence, prohibiting pro-
cessions during the period of martial
law.

Government troops broke up their
demonstration by firing in the air.

PALE AND WEAK DESPONDENT PEOPLE

Owe Their Condition to Weak Watery Blood — How to Regain Strength

Every young man's health is peculiarly
dependent upon the condition of his
blood. Far too many young men suffer
from a weak, watery blood, and the
poor appetite, weak digestion, feeling
of weariness, shortness of breath, all
these symptoms may not be present in
any particular case. They are
merely a warning that the blood is
out of order, and that it is thin and
watery, and if you note any of these
symptoms in your own case, you
should lose no time in taking the pro-
per steps to enrich and purify the
blood. Anemia — poverty of the
blood — is a most insidious disease,
and if allowed to run will end in a
complete breakdown of the system.
Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are, beyond
doubt, the greatest blood-making
tonic offered the public today. For
more than a quarter of a century they
have been a standby of hundreds of
thousands of people in all parts of
the world. No other medicine has
ever achieved such a record of success.

And the reason is that this
medicine does what is claimed for it,
it enriches and purifies the blood, thus
bringing new strength to every organ
and every nerve in the body. In this
way Dr. Williams' Pink Pills bring
new health to weak, despondent peo-
ple. Among the many who speak
highly of this medicine is Mrs. Louis
Dr. Marsh, Windsor, Ont., who says:
"It was impossible for me to re-
commend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills too
highly. Some years ago I was very
pale, and I suffered many of the
symptoms of anemia, and I was
fired, tired, depressed and weak. I had
tried several medicines, but they did
not seem to help me. Then I took
the advice of a friend, I began taking
Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Before I
had used half a dozen boxes I was
actually feeling like a new person and
had gained nine pounds in weight.
I continued taking the pills until I
had taken a dozen boxes, and from
that time I have always enjoyed the
best of health. I freely write you
this letter in the hope that every woman
in need as I was will see it and be
benefited as I have been."

Most of the troubles that affect
mankind are due to impoverished
blood, and will promptly disappear if
the blood is built up and renewed. It
is a well known fact that the greatest
of tonic medicine is a fair trial and it will
not disappoint you. Dr. Williams' Pink
Pills can be procured through any
dealer in medicines, or will be sent
by mail at 50c a box or six boxes
for \$2.50 by writing The Dr. Williams
Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Ex-Royalties Hissed by the Crowd

Geneva.—Empress Zita, accompa-
nied by several Austrian archdukes,
a numerous suite and a mountain of
baggage, arrived at Nyon, on the west-
ern side of Lake Geneva from St.
Gaul. The former Austrian royal pair
were hissed by the crowd as they
alighted from the train. The ex-em-
press appeared ill and depressed,
while the ex-empress wore a gay air
and was attired in a gown of the latest
Parisian model.

January is the wheat harvesting
season of Australia.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

LESSON FOR JUNE 8

OBEDIENCE

I. A Notable Example of Obedience
(Gen. 12:1-4).

At the command of God Abraham
went out not knowing whither he
went (Heb. 11:8). His was not the
obedience of convenience or prudence.
To separate from home and kindred
and take up the life of a pilgrim was
not easy. Abraham did not stop to
ask why, or what he would get out
of it. The obedience that asks why
is not obedience at all.

II. The Motive of Obedience (John
14:21-24).

The grand incentive of obedience
is love to God. The obedience that is
the result of fear or the hope of re-
ward is not true obedience, therefore
has not the approval of God. Only
the child who reverences his father
and affectionately strives to obey him
enjoys his loving favor. The obedience
which springs out of a heart of
love issues in a life of joy and friend-
ship with God (John 15:10-14).

III. The Solemn Obligation of Obedience
(Matt. 7:16-19).

I. Warnings against false prophets
(vs. 15-20).

(1) Their real essence. Ever since
God has had a people false prophets
and teachers have appeared among
them. This need not surprise us, for
Christ predicted that such should be
the case.

(2) Their nature (vs. 15). (a) Hypo-
critical. The devil does his most suc-
cessful work by masquerading as an
angel of light (II. Cor. 7:14, 15). His
ministers appear in this way and turn
people from the narrow to the broad
way. (b) This is suggested by their
being "ravening wolves." It is when
the wolf is in sheep's clothing that he
does his most destructive work. The
enemies of Christ posing as his minis-
ters are most destructive.

(3) The unfailing test (vs. 16-18).
Their fruits. If one gives sufficient
time for development the fruit can be
discerned. Every tree bears its own
kind of fruit. Nature is inexorable in
her law as to this. You may reach
the universe in vain for an exception.
It is equally true in the spiritual
world. There is a vital connection
between the faith of a heart and the
fruit of a life. That which comes out
in the conduct was first in the heart.

(4) Their end (vs. 19). All false
teachers shall finally be punished by
being cast into the fire. Although God
bears long, he will see to it that his
wickedness does not go on for ever.

2. The dangers of empty profession
(vs. 21-23).

Calling Christ "Lord" will not an-
swer for disobedience to his will. One
may even be a Sunday school teacher
or preacher, and even perform much
mighty works, as casting out devils
and healing the sick and yet hear the
awful declaration of Jesus Christ, "I
never knew you," "depart from me."

3. The one and only safe way (vs.
24-29).

(1) Hear the sayings of Christ. To
do this, one must prayerfully attend
to reading the Word of God and medi-
tate upon the same.

(2) Do what Christ commands.
Hearing and doing the teachings of
Christ is building upon solid rock.
Such building can never be destroyed
by flood and storm. Hearing and not
doing Christ's sayings is building
upon the sand which in time of the
storm of God's wrath and judgment
will be utterly destroyed. Obedience
must follow hearing Christ.

Coast Veterans to Support Law

Vancouver.—The Great War Veter-
ans of Vancouver at a recent meet-
ing pledged themselves on the side of
law and order with respect to the
present industrial unrest throughout the
Dominion and passed a resolution
stating that the members opposed any
insurrectionary or riotous attempts
that might imperil the safety and se-
curity of fellow citizens. The resolu-
tion was carried practically unani-
mously, there being less than half a
dozen who voted against it.

Perhaps you have heard of the
Irishman assisting at a baptism, who,
when he heard the godmother answer
"Hazel" to the question as to the
child's name, broke forth: "For the
love of heaven! The whole calendar is
full of the names of blessed female
saints, and they do be calling the baby
after a nut!"

'Twas Ever-Thus

"Back to the farm," the young man
cried;

"Back to the farm for me."

So he put his back to the farm and
hid.

Him off to see the sea.

The oldest bank notes in the world
were issued in China, 2,897 years be-
fore the Christian era.

Should Appreciate British Grand Fleet

Rear-Admiral Sims' Tribute to His Majesty's Ships

"Whenever you feel particularly
grateful that you didn't lose the
war, don't forget the British Grand
Fleet."

This remark by Rear-Admiral Sims
of the United States Navy, at the lun-
cheon of the Chicago Association of
Commerce, brought a whirlwind of
appreciative applause. At other sta-
ges of his splendid address, the Ad-
miral paid equally emphatic tribute to
the paramount and indispensable
prowess of his Majesty's ships. He
made the fact unmistakably evident
that to British sea-power alone the
world owes the defeat of the Hun.

A torch of chestiness in view of
what their arms have accomplished is
surely pardonable on the part of the
Britons. We have waited for our
American military and naval chiefs to
pay the well-deserved compliment to
the triumphant instrument of victory
for civilization. Once in a while they
come along, as Admiral Sims did, and,
in the midst of their glowing praises
of the fighting and conquering Yanks
they say a significant word for the
real winners of the war.

Rear-Admiral Sims' sparkling ad-
dress is the report of an expert who
was close to the zone of battle, and
who was privileged to scrutinize the
inner workings of the colossal mechan-
ism that throttled the Prussian.

Sims is a cool-headed, matter-of-fact,
keenly observant veteran, whose long
experience has developed a slight
strain of cynicism that would prevent
the growth of fanaticism on any sub-
ject. But on the subject of British sea
mastery, which he came to know so
thoroughly, the Admiral cannot re-
strain a touch of enthusiasm. While
British critics were thousands of
miles off, Sims was on the spot watch-
ing her "carrying on" and helping her
in a very substantial way. What he
saw opened his eyes to the supreme
truth of the world struggle. As he
said in his address: "It (the fleet) was
the great silent force upon which the
cause of the allies rested."

Admiral Sims, back from the real
"front" and knowing the inwards of
the great game of Kaiser-crushing,
grins amusedly as he hears the
doubtful orator or his superior officer
emitting brags about America winning
the war. There should be no ill-feel-
ing in the matter, he thinks; but nei-
ther should there be any misunder-
standing of it among friends and al-
lies. Above all, there should be gen-
eral appreciation of Britain's part in
the victory.

Because, without Britain, says Ad-
miral Sims, there would have been no
victory—except for the Hun! — From
Canadian-American, Chicago.

Teachers' Salaries

A Disgrace in U. S.

Attributes Appalling Illiteracy in the
States to This Cause

Uncle Sam is rubbing his eyes in
astonishment to find that about four
million adult Americans can neither
read nor write. It was the astonish-
ing percentage of illiteracy among
the enlisted men in the American
army that first directed attention to
this state of affairs. Leading maga-
zines and newspapers are now trying
to discover the real cause of this
state of affairs.

There are different causes, but one
of the chief is the small salary that
is paid the school teacher. This aspect
of the problem is interestingly
discussed in the June issue of Pictorial
Review, in an article by Ida Clyde
Clarke.

In a New York newspaper two ad-
vertisements appeared recently which
cast a flood of light on the question.
One was for a teacher of history,
mathematics and psychology; salary
\$65 per month. The other was for a
colored barber; salary \$120 per month
and tips. Is it any wonder that the
American educational system is in
its present appalling condition, when
this sort of thing can exist?

Canadian teachers are much better
paid, and probably the West leads
Canada in this respect. Nevertheless,
salaries here are not what they should
be. While there is not the same per-
centage of illiteracy as in the United
States, there is more than there is any
excuse for.

"Ethel," the sweet "girl's" father
called gently from upstairs.
"Yes, father! What is it?" she an-
swered, through the midnight still-
ness.

"Just tell your young man to be
careful and not trip over the morn-
ing milk when he goes."

Half the Troubles

Half the troubles and miseries in
this life would be smoothed away if
we could put our noses in other
people's places, and try to see things
from their point of view. It is the
great black wall of self that hinders
us.

Nerves Shattered by Operation

A Most Extraordinary Case of Ex-
treme Nervous Exhaustion and
Keenest Suffering From Head-
aches—Now Entirely Cured

Mrs. George Hall, Meadow Brook
Farm, Westata Valley, Sask., writes:
"It is with great pleasure I say a few
words of praise for Dr. Chase's Nerve
Food."

"Five years ago, while living in
Montreal, I suffered terribly with a
severe pain in the right temple. For
four months I could not even bend
or stoop down to do anything without
holding the right side of my head
with my hand, the pain was so severe.
Besides the headache, there was a dis-
charge from my right ear also, but it
caused no pain — only the constant
pain in my temple. I could not sleep,
and if I lay down at night I could not
get my head up off the pillow with-
out my husband putting his hand un-
derneath the back of my neck to lift
me up. I could not eat, and I was
very thin. Some of my friends persuaded
me to go to one of the hospitals and
consult a doctor, so I went to the
Royal Victoria Hospital in Montreal;
there they examined me and told me
that it would have to be an 'indoor
case' that I would have to stay four
days on. After I had been there four
days they operated, and found that I
had a clot of blood on the brain. They
said it was a very bad case, and I was
pulled through after the operation, as they
had given me up for over four days.
I was in the hospital for two weeks, and
my doctors said I would always suffer
with my nerves, because the opera-
tion was such a serious one it shat-
tered my nerves all to pieces. After
I came home I could not bear any
noise or excitement, if the children
would about as long as I would
jump and give a sharp cry, and my
hand would fly to my head. My nervous
system was completely exhausted,
and I had no appetite whatever. Two
months after this I had to follow my
husband to the Northwest, where
he had gone to work. I was in bed
for some weeks with a nervous break-
down. I was going nearly crazy with
my head. A friend asked my husband
to try Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. He
went to town (which is fifteen miles
from here) and bought two boxes. I
commenced taking it, and certainly
felt much benefited. I took six
boxes in all, and I now feel like a dif-
ferent woman. I no longer feel any
head, my system is built up, and I
can sleep like a top. My appetite is
splendid, the children can make as
much noise as they like, and it does
not bother me. I am certainly cured,
and I want to express my heartfelt
appreciation of Dr. Chase's Nerve
Food. I shall always recommend it
and tell others about it."

Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, 50 cents
a box, a full treatment of 6 boxes for
\$2.75, at all dealers, or Edmondson,
Bates & Co., Ltd., Toronto. Do not
be talked into accepting a substitute.
Imitations only disappoint.

Street Cars and

Rule of the Road

Electric Railway Company Has Ap-
proached Government on

Question

Victoria, B.C.—The change in the
rule of the road, so as to make driv-
ing to the right effective in this pro-
vince, which is to become operative
at the beginning of 1920, has aroused
strong objection from the British Col-
umbia Electric Railway Company, the
only tramcar system in British Col-
umbia. The company has ap-
proached the government on the
question, and explains that a very
large sum of money will have to be
expended in the alteration of existing
rolling stock in order to conform to
the requirements demanded by a
change from the present rule of turn-
ing to the left.

LEMONS MAKE SKIN

WHITE, SOFT, CLEAR

Make This Beauty Lotion for a Few
Cents and See for Yourself

What girl or woman hasn't heard of
lemon juice to remove complexion
blemishes; to whiten the skin and to
bring out the roses, the freshness and
the hidden beauty? But lemon juice
alone is acid, therefore irritating, and
should be mixed with orchard white
this way. Strain through a fine cloth
the juice of two fresh lemons into a
tumbler glass. Add one ounce of
orchard white, then shake well, and you
have a whole quarter pint of skin
and complexion lotion at about the
cost of one penny. The lotion will
remain pure and fresh for months.
When applied daily to the face, neck,
arms and hands it should help to
bleach, clear, smoothen and beautify
the skin.

Any druggist will supply three ounces
of orchard white for the cost of the
lemons.

U.S. Farmers Want Canadian Land

A dispatch from Winnipeg quotes
William Pearson, chairman of the
newly-formed Farm Land Dealers'
Association, as saying that the Do-
minion Government is at present pro-
cessing an average of 2,500 enquiries
per week from the United States
about farm lands in Western Cana-
da, through the four associations in
the western provinces.

Your Eyes

A Wholesome, Cleansing,
Retracting and Refreshing
Lotion—Murine for Red-
ness, Soreness, Granula-
tion, Stinging, Itching, Burning
of the Eyes or Eyelids;
"Drop" After the Movies, Motoring, or Golf
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Friday, June 20th, 1919

Departmental Examinations, 1919.

Notice has been received from the Department of Education that the Departmental Examinations for Grades VIII, IX, X, XI, and XII will be held this year on July 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th and 11th at Viking and other school centres.

The Department will supply the required loosepan, drawing paper, squared paper and ink, but candidates shall provide themselves with rulers, compasses, penholders etc. Candidates writing on the examinations in drawing must provide themselves with a soft eraser, a good drawing pencil, ruler, India ink, water colors and suitable brush or brushes. For the work in water color a supply of water and conveniences for cleansing the brushes should be available.

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Yes, Yes.
Girls with pretty ankles get the least mud on their skirts.

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"Yes, I imagine about ten years."

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Stump Orator—I want reform; I want government reform; I want labor reform; I want—
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PEACE TERMS
Judge—Your sentence will be one year and ten days.
Victim—What's the ten days for?
Judge—War tax.

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H. N. Irwin's Pool Hall

An editor in a nearby town has moved his printing press over against the door and has his meals handed in at the window since he let this get by in a society item: "Mrs. Cat's popularity is evidenced by her mangy friends in this community."

"Does your wife go in for this uplift stuff?"

"Alas, no—she goes out for it—attends a meeting somewhere about every day in the week."

"The professor seems to be a man of rare gifts," remarked Mrs. Naylor.

"He is," agreed the professor's wife. "He hasn't given me one since we were married."

KNEW THE BRAND
"Ma, do cows and bees go to heaven?"

"Merely, child, what a question!"

"Cause if they don't, the milk and honey the preacher said was up there must be all canned stuff."

M. D. of Kinsella

Minutes of meeting of Councilors for the Municipal District of Kinsella held at Jarow on Saturday, May 17th, 1919, 1 P.M. Reeve Firkus presiding, and all Councilors present.

1. Pendleton; that minutes of previous meeting be approved as read. c.u.
2. Pendleton; that a by-law be passed under authority of Clause (e) Section 206, M.D. Act, relating to animals not the property of residents being at large within the District. c.u.

3. Carter; that the Council arrange for the purchase of plots for cemeteries in the vicinity of the hamlets of Jarow and Kinsella. c.u.

4. Committee reported on matter in connection with roadway through Sec. 25-46-12, w. 4th, G. Thompson payment of \$30.00 per acre for land in roadway being accepted.

5. Firkus; that we pay \$10.00 per year for the publication of minutes in the Viking News and Irma Times. Amendment:—Severon, that we also have the minutes published in the Loughed Express and Selkiewick Sentinel at same rate. c.u.

6. Maxwell; that C.A. Albrecht be paid the sum of \$36.40 on account of labor in 1918, and that Mr. Albrecht refund the sum of \$26.40 which paid to him in error. c.u.

7. That Mr. Lambden be appointed a committee, re letter to the Council from Mrs. Jones concerning lot in Kinsella. c.

8. Pendleton; that Mr. Firkus be suggested as an Hail Insurance adjuster in response to a letter received from the chairman of the Hail Insurance Board.

9. Firkus; that Mr. Ainslie be appointed Auditor for the year 1919 at a salary of \$35.00. Cd.

10. Maxwell; that the Secretary-Treasurer be appointed Assessor and collector of Wild Lands Tax, and receive as salary 5% of collections.

11. Maxwell; that the account of G.F. Albrecht re 1916 taxes, E. 17-45-11, be tabled until Secretary secures information re date of purchase. Cd.

12. Firkus; that the council pass a by-law for the issue of debentures in the sum of \$60,000, \$10,000 to be spent in each division, repayable in 20 years. Cd, 2 against.

13. Maxwell; that this by-law be submitted to the electors at the next annual election. c.u.

14. Firkus; that the Auditor's report for 1918 be accepted. c.u.

15. Severon; that a copy of the report be mailed to each ratepayer Cd u.

16. Pendleton; that the seed grain account be transferred to the Royal Bank of Canada, Jarow. c.u.

17. Lambden; that the Reeve and Secretary be authorized to borrow the sum of \$4200, from the Royal Bank, repayable within the current year. c.u.

No. 2 M.D. 424 Minutes.
18. Pendleton; that the Reeve and Secretary be authorized to sign note for any overdrafts. c.u.

19. Pendleton; that each councilor have the work done in his division either by foreman or by contract, subject to the approval of the Council. c.u.

20. Pendleton; that the Councilors for Div. 1, 2, and 6 be a committee to arrange for laying out roads in said divisions, and that Councilors for Div. 3, 4 and 5 be a committee for laying out roads in such divisions, together with apportioning of expenditures for the above. c.u.

21. Firkus; that all hitch and tie posts be removed from the main streets in the hamlets of Kinsella and Jarow, and that a committee be appointed to arrange for replacing them on out of way places.

Committee for Jarow, Carrer and Firkus. For Kinsella, Lambden and Pendleton. c.u.

22. Carter; that petition from ratepayers re road from NW 6-46 10 W 4th to Jarow, be referred to the Councilors for Div. 1, 2 and 6. Maxwell absent. c.u.

23. Lambden; that an official request be made for a survey in line on the W of NW 1-46-11 W 4 c.u.

24. Firkus; that tools as follows be ordered from the United Grain

Growers, Edmonton, Div. 1, 2, Fresno, Div. 4-2 Fresno, Div. 6-1 Fresno. c.u.

25. Accounts presented;
H. Pendleton, Gr. acct \$20.00
H. Pendleton 39.25

A. Firkus 7.50
Alex Knox 15.00
L. W. Taverner 4.50

C. J. Knudson 28.65
J. W. Wyatt 27.25
G. F. Albrecht 35.00

W. Sommerville 6.00
S. Treas Coal Springs school 2.00
Atlas Lbr Co 2.00

Wardville S D 4.00
M. Ainslie 20.00
F. Norris 59.35

Western Mun. News 5.00
A. Christenson 30.00
Viking News 12.00

E. G. Edwards, re HC Reynolds 10.20
A. Brown, re H C Reynolds 19.00
G. R. Carrothers 21.60

Atlas Lbr Co 32.94
Mah Don 31.05
D. F. Tracksell 112.40

Loughed Co-op 32.40
Black & Cookson 33.00
Alfred Bunnin, rent 717.95

Canada Ingot Iron Co full ac 26. Pendleton; that all accounts be paid as presented. c.u.

27. Firkus; that we adjourn to meet at Kinsella on June 14th, a 1 P.M.

C. J. Knudson, Sec-Treas.

MUNICIPAL HAIL INSURANCE

Why You Should Insure In Your Own Company.

The Hail Insurance Board, elected under the provisions of the Municipal Hail Insurance Act has established headquarters in Calgary with offices at the Canada Life Building. The officials are farmers of many years standing, men who have had practical experience on the land, as municipal officers, and with hail insurance. The adjusters have already been appointed and everything is in readiness for the season's operations. Those who are taking advantage of the act and insuring their crops with this Board are assured of a square deal.

There are many reasons why the farmers of Alberta should support this plan of Hail Insurance. Space will not permit to give all the details, but a few can be enumerated that will show the farmers that to be insured with this Board is absolutely safe.

(1) **The Farmers' Own Company**, it is endorsed by the U.F.A. by municipal conventions, and by the majority of the organized municipal districts of the Province.

(2) **Insurance at Actual Cost**. There are no commissions to be paid to agents and no profits to be paid to shareholders.

(3) **Absolutely Fair Adjustments**. The staff of adjusters appointed by the Board are all farmers, every one of them having crops of their own that may be haled out to-morrow. They would be adjusted by some other farmer, consequently would not pay them to make anything but fair adjustment with those they are dealing with.

(4) **Settlements Made Promptly**. The Board has arranged for sufficient funds to take care of any amount of business. They have a credit of \$1,000,000.00 and can get as much more as they require.

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If any further information is desired, apply to the Sec-Treas of your municipal district, or to the Hail Insurance Board, Box 140, Calgary, Alberta.

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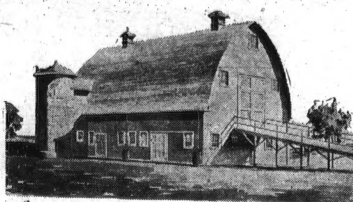
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LOST—One grey mare, wt 850 lbs. With foretop trimmed, 8 yr old, \$5.00 reward. A. C. Barrett, Irma P.O. 11-16p

FOR SALE—One young cow, 3 head yearlings. Price very reasonable. G.A. Sissons & Co. Ltd. 5-46-8 w 4th. 14

WANTED—Auditor for Buffalo Coulee Municipal District, salary \$50 per year. The audit to take place at Sec'y-Treas house. Applicants to be in by June 6, 1919. Apply to Mr. Cubie. Sec'y-Treas. Saulteaux P.O. 14-6c

LOST—One dark bay horse, weight about 1200 pounds. Brand 59 on left shoulder. Had halter on. Reward \$10.00. A. G. Walker, Irma, Alta.

STRAYED—from 24-45-8 with one black mare 4 yrs old, white star in forehead, 1 sorrel gelding 3 yr old, wt about 1200, \$10 reward for information leading to recovery. Geo. Wakefield, Clark Manor, Alta. 18-20 c

LOST—1 white mare, branded on left shoulder, wt 1600.

1 grey mare, branded T on left shoulder.
1 dark grey mare branded R on right neck.

Strayed from Sec 30-47-9, all work horses just out of harness. Foretops clipped. Wt 1400 and 1500. Any information leading to recovery of same will be suitably rewarded. 17

NOTICE

In the matter of the Court of Confirmation of the Tax Enforcement Return of the Municipal District of Buffalo Coulee No. 453.

Take notice that His Honor Judge Taylor, Judge of the District Court of the district of Edmonton will at the sittings of the Court of Verification on Thursday, the 2nd day of October 1919, confirm the Tax Enforcement Return of the Municipal District of Buffalo Coulee No. 453.

Dated the 29th day of May, 1919. Arthur Curtis, Sec-Treas. of the Municipal District of Buffalo Coulee No. 453, Saulteaux P.O. Alta. 17-24u

Wanted.

Horses and Cattle. I have enquiries for several head of good work horses, also cattle for returned soldiers taking up land in the Irma district. If you have any of above for sale leave me list of same. It will be kept on record for any enquiries. No charge will be made for selling same to returned men. H. W. Love, Irma.

Irma Items.

Who says Irma can't play ball? Ask Wainwright.

Mr. Skyles was a visitor at Edmonton this week.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Jones spent Sunday in Viking.

Mrs. C. Swailes is a visitor in Irma.

H. W. Love spent Tuesday in Edmonton.

Mrs. McCready spent a few days at Irma last week.

W. B. Peterson, returned Wednesday from a trip to the south country. Mr. Peterson reports the crops as good in the Irma district as any he saw along the way.

Geo. M. Manners has returned to Irma and has taken over the harness repair shop of Geo. Sawyer, next to the Municipal office. Mr. Manners will be pleased to have any one needing their harness repaired, call on him.

On Saturday evening June 7th Jarrow baseball team came and played a practice game on the Irma diamond. The official score-taller Costin reports 42 runs of which Irma made 19. A return game will be played at Jarrow Saturday evening June 21st.

A pick up team was taken to Wainwright on Tuesday afternoon June 17th and played a very good game considering the score. Wainwright used three pitchers without avail, Vernie's nine going to defeat 12 to 11.

We want a good live agent to buy cream and eggs in Kinsella on a commission basis. In this connection there is a good opening for an ice cream parlor. Address all applications to Woodland Dairy, Limited, Box 2099, Edmonton.

Pleasant Shower.

On Friday evening June 6th, a pleasing event took place at the home of Mrs. P.J. Hardy at Irma. The event was in honor of Miss Irene Love on her approaching marriage to F.M. Hill. The shower was organized by Mesdames Hardy, Tripp and Patterson, the ladies of Irma and district presented the bride-to-be with a miscellaneous collection of useful articles.

After receiving the gifts Miss Irene thanked the donors. Refreshments were served and the evening was spent in a social way. The following ladies contributed to the shower: Mesdames E.T. McDowell, W. H. King, C.T. Hill, O. McMurray, R. Eaton, B. Stewart, A. Stewart, H. Patterson, P.J. Hardy, J.W. Wyatt R.J. Tate, A.A. Dickson, W.H. Lyle, C.G. Hocken, M.A. Fluewelling, H.A. Clute, F.W. Watkinson, G.A. Tripp, F. Hugginson, F. Dowry, G.A. Bassett, H. McElrath, H. Mildon, N.M. Matheson, W. Kitchen, L. Salmon, J.W. Milburn, J. G. Clark, A. Clarke, E. J. Armstrong, P.E. Jones, The Misses M.E. Milburn M. McFarland, M. Fenton, R. Breckon, A. Fluewelling, L. Simonds, S.Saunders.

Several of the young ladies present expressed their willingness to follow the example set by Miss Love. Hurry up boys there are some good chances.

U. F. W. A.

On the invitation of Mrs. J. G. Clark the regular monthly meeting was held at Clark Manor June 5th. There was a good attendance of members and a large number of visitors from the Wainwright local were present on invitation. Interesting speeches on the tariff were given by J. G. Clark and C. T. Hill of the Irma UFA. The proceedings were enlightened by a number of musical items, given by Mesdames Graham, Hocken and Eaton. During the afternoon refreshments were served by the hostess.

A hearty vote of thanks was accorded to Mrs. Clark and the meeting closed with the singing of the national anthem.

Sunday Services

11 a.m. Bible study and preaching at Irma.

1.30 p.m. Bible Study and preaching at Sunny Brae.

3.30 Preaching at Alma Mater.

8.00 p.m. Preaching at Irma.

Sunday School at Irma at 11 a.m.

Sunday School Sessions.

11 A.M. at Irma.

2 P.M. at Roseberry.

2.30 P.M. at Sunny Brae and at Alma Mater.

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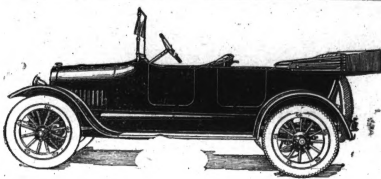
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EDMONTON ALBERTA CANADA

Labor Party May Rule in Britain

New York. — Prediction that the British Labor party would assume the reins of government in England with the next change in administration might come sooner than was expected was made here by J. H. Thomas, British Labor leader and member of the House of Commons. Mr. Thomas, who made the prediction in an informal talk with leaders of the Central Confederated Union, which recently launched an United States Labor party along lines similar to those of the British party, is one of the most powerful labor leaders in the British Isles.

He was general secretary of the National Union of Railwaymen, and successfully engineered its campaign to obtain the eight-hour day and overtime demands. He led the British delegation at the international Socialist and Labor conference at Berne, to which the American Federation of Labor refused to send representatives.

Although disclaiming any wish to dictate or interfere with the labor situation in the United States, Mr. Thomas declared results achieved by the Labor party in England had convinced the workers that employment of political as well as trades union weapons were as essential to realization to the welfare of the workers, adding that he hoped to see labor "stronger" if he ever returned to the United States again.

"I don't believe in bloody revolution, but I do believe in a revolution of ideals," he said, "I want to see men and women use their political intelligence to achieve their ideals."

One of the strongest planks in any Labor party platform, he declared, should be a demand that conditions be established throughout the world "which would make a repetition of this horrible war impossible."

T. D. Mutch, an Australian Labor leader, who also met the Central Federated Union leaders, was spoken in his advice to United States labor to support a strong Labor party. "We are more happy in Australia than you are here in the United States," he said, "because we had sense enough to organize and obtain the needed reforms."

"Each worker has two arms—a political arm and an industrial arm. Don't fight the battle with one arm tied behind your back."

Turning his attention to newspapermen present, Mr. Mutch, who was organizer of the Union of Newspaper Men in Australia, advised them to start a similar movement in the United States.

Berlin Looking Towards Vatican Berlin.—Herr Von Bergen, former counselor of the legation, has been appointed minister to the Holy See for the German empire, succeeding the Prussian representative, Von Bergen is a Protestant Centralist.

It is expected that a papal delegate will be sent to Berlin, thus departing from diplomatic tradition. Monsignor Pacelli, nuncio to the former Bavarian court, has gone to Switzerland and is not expected to return to Bavaria.

German Intrigue in Rhineland

Orders Given to Tear Down Political Posters

Coblentz. — Orders were issued to the military police in Coblentz and to patrols throughout the area of occupation to tear down immediately any political posters should they appear. The soldiers also were cautioned to prevent any meetings of a political character. At headquarters it was said that no such meetings had taken place. The military authorities, however, have received information of an intrigue, in which several influential Germans are implicated. The object of the intrigue was to launch a demonstration in Coblentz in favor of a separation from Prussia.

Poland Still Destitute

In Desperate Need of Food, Clothing and Raw Material and Machinery

New York, N.Y. — Present conditions in Poland are described in a statement issued by the American Relief Administration, compiled from authentic sources open to the administration. The statement says in part: "With all its other difficult problems to meet, Poland is, in addition, actively fighting Bolshevism, not only for its own sake, but for the sake of the world. The Pilsudski Government remains stable, and is worthy of the greatest respect. It is making much progress in setting up a national and economic life for the new Polish nation."

"To fully understand Poland, one must always bear in mind that there is a great gulf between the rich and educated Polish aristocracy, in whose ranks are men of letters, artists and poets in a proportion not equaled in any other country, and the agrarian or peasant class, who are illiterate."

"Every attempt on the part of the Polish aristocracy to better the condition of the Polish peasant was crushed by the great jealous powers which have enslaved Poland for 150 years. The present Polish government recognizes as its first duty a betterment of the conditions of the peasants and the upbuilding of a strong middle class."

"At present, Poland is in desperate need of food, clothing, and raw material and machinery for her stripped and idle factories. Sixty per cent. of her last harvest was carried away by the Germans. Normally Poland is a self-sustaining country as to food, and with some help now she can stand on her own feet. Since the middle of February about 100,000 tons of American foodstuffs have been sent into Poland."

New Troops to Russia

Archangel.—The American cruiser Des Moines arrived here simultaneously with transports, bringing new British volunteer army units to relieve the United States and other forces who have been fighting since last August.

THE INDUSTRIAL UNREST

Capital and Labor Discuss Problems at Toronto

Toronto. — That there is a higher standard of intelligence among the workers than ever before, and that while they are studying economics and other great problems of the day, employers are in ignorance of big world movements, was the statement made by Rev. Ernest Thomas, field secretary of the Army and Navy board of the Methodist church, before the royal industrial commission here. "Is Canada safe while big business men remain ignorant of big world movements?" he asked.

"Canada is not safe while business men refuse to consider economics like our labor men are doing."

Mr. Thomas appealed for provision for interchange of thought. He thought that the tension would be greatly relieved if conferences were held between employers and employees.

"Do you mean there should be compulsory education?" asked Commissioner Bruce.

"I think there should be compulsory intercourse," was the reply.

Chief Justice Mathers did not think such a plan would be workable.

Referring to the high cost of living, Mr. Thomas said:

"I do not say things shall not be sold without profit, but I do say that profit should not be the driving power."

He described briefly the economic policy of the Methodist church, and then detailed the views of the Anglican and Roman Catholic churches, calling for changes in the present system. These could not be dismissed as nonsense as they expressed the mind of organized Christendom.

Mr. Thomas then took up the question of prohibition, emphatically declaring that it had not been successful in altering the social life of wealthy people, as it had that of the working people. Speaking from personal experience, he said that the laboring men in the west, who formerly opposed prohibition, are now definitely in favor of it. He thought that prohibition was in a measure responsible for the remarkable evidence of self control in Winnipeg and other western cities recently.

James Simpson, the next witness, also emphasized the fact that laboring men were studying industrial economics and displayed much higher intelligence than a few years ago. Giving causes for the present unrest, Mr. Simpson declared that the indifference of the government to the increased cost of living was one of the greatest reasons.

"What our government is neglecting other governments are accomplishing successfully," declared Mr. Simpson.

He referred to legislation introduced in New Zealand and Australia, which he said had been responsible for the reduction in the cost of living.

Mr. Simpson, in discussing wages paid to the laboring classes in Canada, stated that the man who is content to live under existing conditions has lost his manhood crushed by the industrial system.

Answering Commissioner Thomas Moore, Mr. Simpson declared himself in favor of a 44-hour week. Some private employers were introducing a 40-hour week and increasing wages also, he said.

"A 44-hour week should be statutory; it should be law," emphatically stated the witness.

Replying to further questions, Mr. Simpson stated that the Whitley scheme would never satisfy the student of labor problems, as an ultimate objective, but at the present time it will serve to minimize the friction between capital and labor.

W. H. Hooper, organizer of warehousemen and storekeepers' union, hoped the commission would be able to give some practical hints to the government, and he thought two of the main subjects for consideration should be shorter hours and better wages.

Canada's War Expenditure Ottawa.—According to the Auditor-General of Canada's report, the war expenditures during the year 1918, the last full 12-month period of the war amounted to \$343,836,801. Of this amount, \$201,288,628 was expended in Canada by the Militia Department, and \$115,381,243 by the Overseas Department of Militia and Defense. The Invalid Soldiers' Commission cost \$11,993,654, while the naval defense of the country cost the people \$9,668,229.

Free Passage for Army Men

London.—The Overseas Settlement Office, virtually a department of the Colonial Office and set up to deal with emigration to the Dominions, has now got to work, and its successful operations have been approved. Free passage will be granted to suitable ex-servicemen. A boom in emigration to North America is expected from Scotland. Enquiries for transport are already enormous.

Claims To Enemy Shipping

Should U.S. Keep Vessels Interned in American Ports

London.—The division of German mercantile shipping, which has been the subject of considerable discussion in England since the announcement that the United States was to receive all vessels interned in United States ports, was raised in the house of commons by Ben Tillet, member for North Salford. Mr. Tillet asked Andrew Bonar Law, the government spokesman, what steps the government was taking "to claim a share of enemy shipping in proportion to the losses sustained by us of the vessels detained in American waters."

Mr. Bonar Law said he could not discuss the matter, but hoped the house would trust the British delegates to protect their interests.

Horatio Bottomley, an independent member, asked whether it was not a convenient opportunity for President Wilson to "prove the sincerity of his idealism by making no claim for these ships and giving them to those who have borne the heat and burden of the war."

Plague Follows War

The Coming Winter May See Typhus Ravage Europe

Paris.—One hundred thousand persons in Poland are ill of typhus, according to advices received by the supreme economic council. Typhus is increasing in Poland and is epidemic. It is epidemic in Hungary and a number of other countries in southwestern Europe.

The spread of the plague in other parts of Europe is feared during the coming winter, cold being more favorable for its propagation than warmth.

The supreme council has appointed a committee of British, French and Italian representatives to confer with representatives of the league of Red Cross, to prepare definite plans to combat typhus and cholera, those plans to be submitted to the respective governments.

Grieve Invited To Try Again

Offer to Become Navigator for Raynham in Journey of Martyrdom

St. John's, Nfld.—Lieut. Commander MacKenzie Grieve, rescued in mid-ocean with Harry G. Hawker after their unsuccessful attempt to fly across the Atlantic, has been invited by Frederick Raynham, British airman, to "try it again." This time as navigator of the Martynside plane to be piloted by the Australian's rival.

Captain Morgan, originally selected as Raynham's navigator, was seriously injured when the Martynside plunged its nose into the turf while attempting to hobble off with Hawker, that doctors forbade him to think further of flying.

The number of British expeditions with representatives preparing for a trans-Atlantic flight was increased to five with the arrival of Lieut. W. F. Williams, R.A.F. Lieut. Williams came here to select an airfield for an Alliance machine, a two-seated biplane with a single Napier engine of 450 horse-power.

Retiring from Politics

St. John's, Nfld.—In the assembly former Premier Lloyd, whose cabinet has resigned, announced his intention of retiring from public life, and stated he intended to accept the registrarship of the supreme court at present vacant, and which the incoming ministry had offered him subsequent to the recent crisis.

Recurrence of "Flu"

Chaplain.—The "flu" has broken out here again. Twenty-six cases are reported and two deaths from the epidemic occurred Monday.

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Bush Fires in North

Telegram From Big River Inspector Says Some Homes Destroyed

Regina.—Information of the devastation caused by the recent bush fires in the northern part of the province has reached the office of A. E. Fisher, fire commissioner for Saskatchewan. In some cases people have lost their homes, and other property has been destroyed by the flames.

The following telegram was received by Mr. Fisher from an inspector, dated at Big River:

"Bush fire around Canwood and Polworth, May 18 and 19. One family homeless. On May 22 a big fire swept west, jumped across Big River and burned five sheds and Ladder Lake Lumber company warehouse; also set a stable on fire. Bush fire coming on Big River from north and southeast. Men out at present back firing. One family homeless in Big River from fire on May 22."

Hawker Has a Record

Has Earned Many Honors as an Aviator

New York, N.Y.—Harry G. Hawker, who started from St. Johns, Newfoundland, on a trans-Atlantic flight in a Sopwith airplane, is an Australian. He began his career as a mechanic and rose to the rank of an aviator under the tutelage of Sopwith, one of the earliest British aviators. He first came into prominence on October 24, 1912, when flying a Sopwith biplane, designed after the pattern of the Wrights' machine; he established a British record of 8 hours and 23 minutes for a duration flight and won the British Michelin trophy for that year.

In 1913, flying a Sopwith equipped with a Gnome motor, he established a British altitude record of 12,900 feet, and on the same day carried aloft two passengers to a height of 10,600 feet. Later he attained the world's altitude record—28,500 feet—which was subsequently exceeded. During the war he was an experimental aviator assisting in the development of Sopwith machines.

Canadian Flier in Great Race

New York.—Captain J. E. Boyd, Canadian aviator who was shot down by German anti-aircraft guns while flying over Zebrugg, managed to avoid capture by guiding his plane into Dutch territory, where he was interned October 3, 1915, announced himself here as an entry to the race of the London Daily Mail for the purse of \$50,000 for a non-stop trans-Atlantic flight.

Captain Boyd is making final plans for his flight and will leave for Newfoundland by the middle of June.

Feed Russia When Bolshe Gone

London.—The allied and associated powers have made arrangements to feed Petrograd and render assistance to the starving population after the expulsion of the Bolsheviks. Herbert C. Hoover, the head of the allied relief, has the details in hand. It is hoped that relief will be in the city within thirty-six hours after the Bolshevik withdrawal.

Agreement Reached

On Adriatic Question

Paris.—The question of Fiume and the southern territorial boundaries of Austria has been settled by the allied council, according to the best information here.

An agreement has also been reached on the question of the general Adriatic questions, except regarding economic arrangements. Thus, all territorial questions will be presented to the Austrians Friday in the proposed terms.

The matter of reparations will come up for consideration later.

The Associated Press issues the following:

The Austrians, who have been clamoring for an early presentation of the peace treaty that has been arranged for them, will be called before the peace congress and handed the document.

This had been made possible through an agreement reached in the Council of Four on one mighty question which has blocked the council in its efforts to settle the issues with the Austrians—Italy's demands that she be awarded Fiume, a seaport town on

Toronto. — "Work creates work; that is the point the men in the shop don't get," said T. A. Russell to the Industrial Relations Commission. He declared that organized labor must bring some conservative plan which would avoid the limitation of production before they would be welcomed with open arms by the employers.

T. A. Russell, of the Russell Motor Car Company, declared that there was a desire on the part of the employer to get to the bottom of the labor difficulties. In his opinion the unrest was due in part to a laudable disregard of everyone to improve his position.

Neither employers nor employees had been to blame in the past. The employers had paid attention too closely to keeping wages down and employees of getting them out, without an eye to the vital matter of production. The present strike, he thought, would set back the relations between the employer and employed for years. It was not called on account of any grievance or urgency of the men working in the shops, but was an outside matter.

There should be in his view no interference with leadership, and to guarantee that control must remain in the hands of capital. The laborer could go elsewhere if his employment did not suit him, while invested capital could not.

It was a mistake to limit below 48 hours the week's working hours both from a national and from the men's standpoint.

John Doggett, secretary of the industrial council of building trades, declared the unrest to be due to the worker's fear of old age, for which there was no provision, and to the way profiteers had run wild in Canada.

Mounted Police Strengthened

Vancouver, B.C.—The first detachment of the Royal Northwest Mounted Police force which is being established here as the headquarters for British Columbia has arrived in the city. While no official reason is forthcoming for extending the famous corps into this province, the general opinion is that the move is a precautionary measure in the event of any Bolshevik outbreaks. Since the unionization of the Vancouver police force, that body has lost a portion of public confidence.

Indian Ruler Loyal to King

London, England.—With characteristic loyalty and devotion to the British crown, the Maharajah of Bikanir, in view of the Afghan violation of British territory, has, during his recent short visit to London from the peace conference, placed at the disposal of King George his personal services and all the resources of his state. It will be remembered that the Maharajah of Bikanir was the first of the Indian ruler princes to make the same salute to the King-Emperor in the first days of the war, in August, 1914.

Aeroplane Trip Over Egyptian Desert

London, England.—Colonel Wilson, one of the commanders of the British forces in Mesopotamia, has arrived in England after an aeroplane trip from Mosul, by way of the Egyptian desert and Cairo. The trip lasted a week.

Germany Makes Counter Proposals

Versailles.—The German counterclaim on the allied powers is based largely on the alleged effect of the blockade upon the life and health of the civilian population. It is argued that a million births were prevented as a direct result of the food blockade upon the vitality of women. Same causes, it is contended, increased the deaths, approximately 800,000. Lack of milk for young children, the absence of rubber and cotton for hospital use and the interruption of supplies of quinine, camphor and other medicaments were further factors in the losses, according to the German argument.

Should the Germans open this field of enquiry, the allies are prepared to reply effectively by reference to the far greater decrease of births and increase of deaths in France, Belgium, Poland, Rumania and Serbia as a direct result of the German war measures.

The allies possess the German official figures showing that the milk production in Germany during the war was never below forty-five per cent. of the normal production, which would have been sufficient to maintain the children had they received it.

The failure of German cities to receive more than 10 or 15 per cent. of the normal milk supplies was through no fault of the blockade, it is pointed out, but was due to the German system of distribution. The lack of rubber and cotton for hospitals, likewise, represented the active choice of the German authorities who devoted to military and other purposes imports of rubber and cotton considerably in excess of requirements. The same argumentation will be applied to the scarcity of synthetic drugs, due to the conversion of German chemical plants to war purposes.

Berlin.—The newspapers comment at great length on the German counter proposals. Theodore Wolff, in the Tagblatt, says that the whole counter draft corresponds to the democratic ideals of right, and in no way to military nationalist conceptions. The demand that the occupation troops shall return home in six months at the latest might also be reckoned as meant to affect the preservation of German sovereignty. The Vorwarts says:

"Everyone in Germany has read the text with heavy hearts. If sober reason prevailed at Paris, it would jump at this proposal."

The Vorwarts, however, thinks that the signing of the entente draft will be insisted upon.

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Rumania Will Occupy Transylvania

The Rumanian Government has announced that at the request of the Transylvanian population, complaining of Magyar exactions, Rumanian troops have been ordered to occupy the Transylvania territory to the extent fixed by the decisions made at Versailles.

France and Italy Remain United

Paris.—On the occasion of the anniversary of the entrance of Italy into the war, the French chamber of deputies and senate adopted unanimously by a resolution asserting the continued fraternity of the two nations and declaring they would remain united in a just and durable peace. The government associated itself with the resolution.

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Germany Discarded 278 "Royal" Persons

Prussia Has Sent 33 Royalties Into Exile

A German professor figures that the abdications and dethronements in Germany include 278 persons. Bavaria leads with a king, queen, fifteen princes, sixteen princesses, five dukes and a duchess. Prussia has sent thirty-three royalties into exile.

Brunswick is at the bottom of the list with only the ducal couple and their three children. The two tiny principalities of Lippe and Reuss, whose area is hardly a one-third-hundredth part of Prussia, has exiled thirty-six royalties.

The principality of Lippe, only about twenty square miles larger than the Reuss state, had a royal family numbering twenty-four persons. Most extraordinary is the case of Schaumburg-Lippe, with its area of 130 square miles, where there was nearly one royal personage for every five square miles.

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Villages Wiped Out By Volcano
Amsterdam.—The volcano of Katut, in Java, has burst into eruption, wiping out twenty villages in the district of Bromo, and in the vicinity of Blitar, and causing deaths estimated at 15,000, according to a Central News dispatch received here.

It Is In Demand.—So great is the demand for Dr. Thomas' Eclectic Oil that a large quantity has been ordered by the government of the United States for use in the army and navy. It is in demand for its purity and its effectiveness. Parmelee's Vegetable Pills are of this character and are the best of all pills. During the years that they have been in use they have established themselves as no other pill has done.

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"Now," said the professor, "supposing that by some convulsion of nature portions of the earth now under water became dry land, what would be the most prominent character of the landscape?" And the girl, who was trying to suppress a yawn, replied: "German submarines."

New Use for Movies

Motion pictures have been used extensively in Italy to teach illiterate voters how to prepare their ballots.

Many a would-be poker player makes a mistake in his calling.

No More Troops for Russia

Allies Would Furnish Munitions and Money

New York.—The Associated Press issues the following:

Anti-Bolshevik factions in Russia, headed by Admiral Kolchak and General Denikin, are receiving conditional recognition by the Council of Four, according to a report in circulation in Paris. The condition is said to be that the government of the leaders are to convolve and accept the verdict of a genuine constituent assembly, which is to determine the future form of government for Russia.

Such action by the Council of Four would enable the allies to assist in the struggle against Soviet rule in Russia by furnishing Kolchak and Denikin with arms, munitions and money and food on a larger scale than previously. No troops would be furnished the anti-Bolshevik leaders, according to the report.

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You are further warned that cutting at a corn is a suicidal habit.

Aviator's Daring Feat

Atlantic City.—Lieut. Omar Lockyer, formerly with the air army, gave a demonstration which is said to be one of the greatest in annals of flying, of catching a dangling rope ladder from a second airplane and climbing into the craft from which it was hung. The feat was done at a height of 2,500 feet. He has leaped from one plane to another in the air before, but never made an ascent from one plane to another.

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German Populace Revile Wilson

Paris France.—Describing recent demonstrations before the Adlon Hotel in Berlin, a dispatch to The Times says the crowd shouted: "Down with France, England, America, Clemenceau, Foch and Wilson." It says that the shouts against President Wilson seem to indicate that he is particularly reviled by the German populace, public opinion "not pardoning him for interpreting the fourteen points at variance with the German interpretation of them."

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Hands Across the Line

Citizens of Winnipeg and St. Paul have joined forces to erect a memorial arch on the boundary of Manitoba and Minnesota in honor of the soldiers of the two states who died in the great war. It is a most fitting enterprise. Hands across the border—Springfield Republican.

Yesterday's neglect causes two-thirds of today's worries.

Coldest Village

For generations popular conception pictured the North Pole as the coldest place on earth, although scientists and explorers have proved otherwise. In fact, Nansen and other explorers said that 45 or 50 degrees below zero was cold weather for the 75th to 80th parallels. Birches, Alaska, however, 55 miles below Fort Gibbon, has several times hit the 87 and 88 mark below zero, and is therefore believed to be the coldest spot in the north, if not in the world.

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Racial Bogie Raised

Attack on League of Nations From New Point of View in U.S. Congress

Washington.—An attack on the League of Nations as offering grave dangers to the future was made in the Senate by Senator Reed, Democratic of Missouri, who declared that under the convention in its present form nations governed by other races would have the predominating voice.

The senator presented statistics to show that of the total population of the countries opposing the league, 81,425,500 would be of black, yellow, and red races, with only 289,488,800 of the white race. In the assembly which is to be the governing body, he said, white nations would have fifteen representatives and other nations seventeen representatives.

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Hawker Stripped By Small Affair

Escape of Aviators Is Regarded as Miscellaneous

London.—The dramatic news of the safety of Harry Hawker and Lieut. Commander Grieve came as a complete surprise to London, after all hope was abandoned, when twelve destroyers returned to Ireland after having fruitlessly scoured the area of 300 miles. The special editions of the newspapers were snapped up by thousands. The scenes on the streets were comparable to a national rejoicing. There were similar scenes in the provinces.

Hundreds of holiday makers journeyed to Surbiton, where they besieged Mrs. Hawker's residence. The police had to be called to regulate traffic.

Mrs. Hawker in an interview said she had never lost hope. "Sunday is our lucky day," she said.

The escape of the aviators is regarded as miraculous, as the steamer Mary herself was taking an unusual course and there was not a single ship within fifty miles.

Experts pay tribute to the fine navigating of Hawker's machine as an airplane kept in a dead straight line more than half-way across the Atlantic. The opinion is expressed that the accident was so slight, that if the machine had been a seaplane Hawker could have repaired it and completed the course.

Invite Dominions To Talk Education

Universities and Higher Educational Institutions to Nominate Representatives

London.—The chief of the imperial general staff has invited the universities and higher educational institutions to nominate representatives to a conference on June 12 and 13, with representatives of the Dominions to discuss educational problems arising from experience gained in the working of educational schemes in the British army and forces of the Dominions. The conference will be held at Australia house, by invitation of the high commissioner of the commonwealth. The chief of the imperial general staff is to preside at the opening session, when an address will be given by Hon. H. L. Fisher, president of the board of education.

Kind words never die; if they did probably they would be more appreciated.

What is "Drunk"?

Drinkers Are More Liable to Disease Than Abstainers

When a man is drunk every cell in his body is drunk. The body is composed of millions of living cells, each having its own particular work to do. When a man is more or less drunk he is neither efficient nor capable of doing his work properly. When a cell is drunk it cannot perform its functions efficiently.

One duty of the red blood cells is to carry oxygen. The duty of the white blood cells is to fight the disease germs. When the oxygen carriers are drunk the system is poisoned by waste matters that should have been burnt up by oxygen. When the destroyers of disease germs are drunk infection is liable to occur.

The British War Office is authority for the statement that animals that are immune to certain diseases—that is, cannot be infected even by inoculation—lose their immunity and are easily infected if given a dose of whiskey 24 hours before inoculation.

Drinkers are more liable to disease than abstainers, and when ill they have a much poorer chance of recovery. This is so well established that the greatest medical conventions and boards of health are opposed to the use of alcoholic liquor in the treatment of disease. Whiskey and brandy have been removed from the United States Dispensary, which contains the official list of medicines used in the States. Hundreds of medical men never prescribe alcohol in any form, and several states of the Union have prohibited its use even as medicine. When these facts are generally known there will be few who will indulge in alcohol in any form, or in any dose. A great effort must be made to spread this truth. We must stir ourselves or run the risk of losing what we have gained by years of hard work.

London and the Diamond Industry

Although large numbers of Belgian refugees have returned to their native land, the diamond cutters and polishers intend to remain in London. London will be both the Antwerp and Amsterdam of the future. London will be the hub of the diamond industry—not only for selling the gems, but for preparing them and finishing them for the markets generally. Round about Hatton Garden large factories have been established by Belgian diamond merchants, and considerable numbers of refugees have been employed.

There may be other corn-suckers, but Holloway's Corn Cure stands at the head of the list so far as results are concerned.

Canada's Immigration Bill

Ottawa.—The new Immigration Bill for Canada has been reported from the committee in the House of Commons, with some slight amendments. One of these prevents the bringing into Canada of concealed weapons, and another provides for the reporting direct to the minister by immigration officials when an immigrant advocates the overthrow of constitutional government by force.

Minard's Liniment Lumberman's Friend

Spies Resume Operations

Campaign in Switzerland Openly Conducted Against Allied Powers

Paris.—German spies and propaganda agents have resumed their operations in Switzerland, but their tactics apparently have changed, the correspondent of the Temps in Switzerland writes. Instead of giving material help to dangerous elements in the allied countries as formerly, German agents are almost entirely engaged in various forms of propaganda against the allied powers.

"A very important anti-British campaign has just been discovered," the correspondent says. "Leaflets bearing the name of neither author nor printer are being distributed in sealed envelopes even in the offices of the most important Swiss papers. The Swiss police have recently received a great quantity of these, the German origin of which is very apparent."

"I can declare positively that a number of German spies lately arrived at Geneva, were identified as former German spies. They are spending a lot of money, but it has not been possible to discover their particular kind of propaganda. Their presence in Switzerland, however, proves that the German propaganda services are far from being disorganized. It was also significant that the German spies at the head of the propaganda organization have returned to their old posts."

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Huns Forming New Government

Zurich.—A military oligarchy is being formed in Germany, according to Dr. Richard Grelling, the author of "J'accuse," who has just returned here from Munich. The oligarchy is more powerful than the Schiedemann government, he declared, as the government only manages to remain in power with the support of the military caste and of mercenary troops.

What Oxen Are

"What are oxen?" asked the teacher. The little foreigners looked blank. "Does anyone know what a cow is?" she asked, hopefully. "A dingy hand waved wildly at the back of the room."

"I know, I know, teacher. A cow, she lays milk."—Scientific Refining.

Solomon said it all; there is nothing left for us but a little remodeling.

Nature and the Indian

The Indian never liked work but he wanted his squaw to get well as soon as possible so that she could do the work and let him hunt, therefore he dug peapose root for her, for that was their great remedy for female weakness.

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The Jarrow Page

This page is devoted to the interests of Jarrow and District

JARROW

O.C. Christenson has about sold his farm south of town.

The ladies had a sale of work in the booth on the 14th, the proceeds to go to the church fund.

Albert Firkus is away to B.C. looking for some range land we understand.

John Kennedy is putting a floor in the refreshment booth for the comfort of the ladies who do the work.

A sale of work and home cooking will be held in the UFA booth, Sat. afternoon June 28th. Lunch and refreshments will be served.

Crops here are not in any serious danger as yet with the few rains we have had. Quite a lot of what measures 18 to 24 inches.

The UFA held a meeting on the 14th in the pool room and the program was discussed for sports day. We will try and give a list of the prizes offered next week.

Frank Hanson has opened the road south of 83 and is now opening the road from A. McGregor's to a point on the east line of Section 32-45-10.

Carl Larsen was called to Ponoka again last Friday because of the serious illness of his mother and sister. He had just returned from the funeral of another sister.

Don't forget the bucking contest to be held in Jarrow at the celebration on July 1st. A slow race for the autoists is also on the list.

On June 7th the Jarrow ball team went to Irma and trimmed them to the tune of 23 to 18. The Chicago Cubs have been challenged to play Jarrow on July 1st but no reply has been received to our letter as yet.

The contract is let for fixing the road south of the lake into Jarrow and we take pleasure in noting that this vexed question is about settled to the satisfaction of those living on the south side. The Council in division 6 deserves considerable credit for his efforts to give everyone a square deal in his division. At election time some held grave doubts as to the prospect of getting this road fixed but it is an assured fact now, and Mr. Carter deserves all due credit.

The UFA secretary might send in to the editor a report of the meetings of the UFA. The writer of this column is not in a position to attend except on special occasions and we feel sure the UFA news would be very welcome to all the readers of the Irma Times. We would be glad to see something about the Kinsella UFA once in a while as our interests are very much in common.

Ocean Dock For Prince Rupert

Creation of an ocean dock at Prince Rupert and steamship lines to the Orient were projects touched upon by W.P. Hinton, vice-president and general manager of the G.T.P., in an address delivered recently before the Board of Trade of that city.

Mr. Hinton spoke with admiration of the activity displayed by Col. C.W. Peek, V.C., M.P., Prince Rupert's soldier member of parliament. Col. Peek had, he said, been working day and night at Ottawa for the development of the northern coast city on the lines suggested and had made considerable progress.

A resolution carried by acclamation expressed appreciation of Mr. Hinton's co-operation in efforts to develop the "magnificent hinterland in the northern part of the province" and closed with a hope that his connection with the G.T.P. might be left undisturbed. In replying, the guest of honor said that should the government desire him to work for it, he would do so to the best of his ability; if not, some one, he hoped, would do it better. He did not, however, anticipate any vital change being made immediately.

Jarrow Church Services.

11 a.m. at M'brae
2:30 p.m. at Metropolitan
7:30 p.m. at Jarrow.
M. D. Bayly, Pastor

A special meeting of the sports committee was held some time ago and primary arrangements were made for the program. Finances are the substance of some difficulty but we will weather through some way as usual. It is wonderful what we can do if we really want to. Let us make a good day of it and next year let us make it better than ever. Some time in the near future, may be we can form an agricultural association and with a little help from the Government of Agriculture it may be possible to put on a real fair.

The Way to Riches will appear in next week's issue owing to lack of time and space.

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